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YMCA

Young Men's Christian Association of Montreal

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REMINDER: Don't forget to make your reservation for the Metropolitan YMCA annual meeting, to start 6:00 p.m., Monday, October 1st.

RAPPEL: N'oubliez-pas de faire votre réservation pour l'assemblée annuelle du YMCA, qui aura lieu à 6:00 p.m., lundi le 1er octobre.

FAREWELL: Gary Boone former Phys. Ed. Director at Westmount Y, has moved to Halifax. He will serve there as a Recreation Consultant to the Nova Scotia Government. Good luck, Gary... John Weidman, Gary's counterpart at Verdun-LaSalle Y, has moved on to become a community worker at Montreal High School. Best wishes on the new job, John.

WELCOME: Simon Larade succeeds John Weidman, at Verdun-LaSalle. Simon, a Maritimer, is a graduate of St. Francis Xavier University. Welcome aboard... At Downtown Y, Norm Clement has joined the staff as Assistant Director of Fitness Programs. Norm has earned a Bachelor's Degree in Biology and Chemistry at Loyola College, where he is following up with night-time studies in Physiology. Glad to have you with us, Norm.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL HONORS OLD-TIMERS: Seven Montrealers, all YMCA members for at least 50 years, were honored recently at a special ceremony in Ottawa. Together, the group has been involved with the Y for a total of 376 years.

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS: The fall programming session finds all projects working from a position of strength established by a successful round of summer activities. The growth potential revealed by this work has surpassed expectations of the community developmental-educational concept.

LE GOUVERNEUR GENERAL HONORE LES ANCIENS MEMBRES: Sept Montréalais, tous membres du YMCA depuis au moins 50 ans, ont reçu des honneurs lors d'une cérémonie spéciale tenue à Ottawa. Le groupe entier a participé avec le YMCA pour une période totale de 376 ans.

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JOBS FOR YOUTH. Verdun-LaSalle YMCA has organized a Youth Employment Service which found jobs for over 400 young people this past summer. Participants received training in how to act during interviews, how to fill out applications and how to behave on the job. In a number of instances, as a follow-up, the youthful workers were visited on the job. The project was headed by Barry Poxon.

"THEO": Project 'THEO' , a volunteer training bureau that stands for Teens Helping Each Other, has been started at Verdun-LaSalle Y. Under the leadership of Linda Hoar, it will start by concentrating on such areas as child care, babysitting and other aspects of service.

EMPLOIS POUR LA JEUNESSE: Le YMCA de Verdun-LaSalle a organisé un Service d'Emploi pour la Jeunesse, lequel a trouvé des emplois à plus de 400 jeunes durant l'été dernier. Les participants ont reçu un entraînement, à savoir comment agir durant les entrevues, comment remplir des formules d'application et se comporter au travail. Dans plusieurs cas, par la suite, les jeunes travailleurs étaient visités sur les lieux de leur travail. Le projet était dirigé par Barry Poxon.

FOOD CO-OP. Verdun-LaSalle Branch's Jean Lipton is looking for people with experience in retailing, merchandising or handling of finances to participate in setting up a food co-op in Verdun. If you are interested, contact Jean at 769-2728.

MAGASIN CO-OP: La Section de Jean Lipton à Verdun-LaSalle demande des gens avec expérience dans le commerce de détail, promotion des ventes, ou manutention des finances pour un magasin Co-Op établi à Verdun. Si vous êtes intéressés, contacter Jean à 769-2728.

INTERNATIONAL SCENE: Westmount YMCA's International Development Group is planning a mid-October dance to help raise funds to purchase motors for boats of fishermen in Tanzania.

SPREADING THE WORD: The Cote St. Luc Community Project has put out a newsletter, "The Extended Family." Its aim is to share information and encourage participation in a wide range of activities. Scope and services of the project have been listed in brochure. Phone 487-5559 for your copy.

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